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SUBJECT: EXIM CREDIT NO. 6469 TO MIN FIN, GOT FOR THY

REPLACEMENT AIRCRAFT

REFERENCE: STATE 196622

1. FOLLOWING TELEX SENT FROM NORRIS, EXIMBANK, TO AYGUN, MINISTRY OF FINANCE: IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPERATING AGREEMENT OF 15 MARCH 1973 BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF UNCLASSIFIED

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TURKEY AND THE EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES, THIS IS TO INFORM YOU THAT EXIMBANK IS PREPARED TO ISSUE FORMAL COMMITMENT TO MINISTRY OF FINANCE TO ASSIST IN THE FINANCING OF DOLS. 3,549,109 IN ADDITIONAL U.S. COSTS OF ONE BOEING 727 REPLACEMENT JET AIRCRAFT FOR THY ON ESSENTIALLY THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

20 PERCENT CASH PAYMENT 40 PERCENT EXIM LOAN AT DOLS. 709,821

8.0 PERCENT INTEREST 1,419,644

40 PERCENT PRIVATE LOAN

WITHOUT EXIM GUARANTEE 1,419,644

FEE: ONE-HALF OF ONE PERCENT PER ANNUM EXIM LOAN COMMITMENT FEE

AVAILABILITY DATE: OCTOBER 31, 1978

REPAYMENT: 10 EQUAL SEMIANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING FEBRUARY 15, 1979, EXIMBANK TO BE REPAID FROM LATTER MATURITIES.

OBLIGOR: MINISTRY OF FINANCE ON BEHALF OF GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY

PLEASE NOTIFY US AT YOUR CONVENIENCE WHETHER FINANCE MINISTRY APPROVES ISSUANCE OF COMMITMENT.

2. BANK APPROVED LOAN TO MIN FIN AS OBLIGOR BECAUSE OF POOR STATE OF THY FINANCE, DUE IN LARGE PART TO (A) GOT RESTRAINT ON LEVEL OF DOMESTIC FARES, AND (B) GOT REFUSAL OR INABILITY TO PROVIDE SUBSIDIES TO COVER PAST THY DEFICITS, AS CONTEMPLATED IN EMBODYING LEGISLATION. BANK WAS ON VERGE OF CONDITIONING LOAN APPROVAL ON CORRECTION OF THESE DEFECTS, BUT AGREED TO DEFER, FOR TIME BEING, ON UNCLASSIFIED

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UNDERSTANDING GOT AND THY WILL BEGIN CORRECTION EFFORTS; EXIM STAFF ADVISED TURKISH EMBASSY.

- 3. TO AVOID FURTHER NEED TO PROVIDE FINANCING OF ADDITIONAL COSTS FOR REPLACEMENT OF AIRCRAFT AS IN SUBJECT TRANSACTION AND CREDIT 6143, EXIMBANK WILL REVIEW THE PROPOSED INSURANCE POLICY FOR THIS REPLACEMENT AIRCRAFT AND THE EXISTING THY INSURANCE POLICIES COVERING OTHER EXIMBANK-FINANCED AIRCRAFT FOR THE PURPOSE OF INCREASING, IF PRACTICABLE, THE AMOUNTS OF ALL-RISK GROUND AND FLIGHT HULL INSURANCE.
- 4. UNLESS EMBASSY PERCEIVED OBJECTION, REQUEST EMBASSY CONVEY THRUST OF PARA 2 AND 3 TO MIN FIN AND THY. CHRISTOPHER

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